RICHMOND, VA., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1891,

# THREE WERE KILLED

Herrible Accident on the C. and O. Yesterday Morning.

TWO TRAINS COLLIDE.

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wounded in an acadent that ocout 5 o'clock yesterday morning sapeake and Ohio railway near tation, not many miles east of

Tork S. Garland Burnett, of Rich-

alded. No other apparent inju-Leons, head crushed to pulp; in the passenger locomotive in

n Mays, head crushed and died

are the minred :

Collector Raume, leg crushed and C. H. Lyle, of Hinton, both

ngineer J. P. Lear, severely out the hips. ork Sims, of Richmond, shoulder and internal injuries.

lessenger Carpenter, of Rich-- bruised about the body. Engineer Peck, badly bruised from his engine.

owing special to the Disparch everte, W. Va., gives an account mity and the causes that led to

are Five Delegates in the Next House. Outline of the Bill.

becommittee appointed from the accommittee of the Senate and o prepare a bill reapportioning the members of the General Assembled their labors, and a final session of nearly two hours y afterneon, and prepared the bill be submitted at a joint meeting of all committees to be held this morning, used most by these bedies the measure

thother meeting of members of the Le-lature and others friendly to a railread immission bill was held at the office of Planter and Farmer last night. The bill framed by Mr. Kent, which was pub-shed in full in the DESPATCH, was read as per-ted by the incorparation into it of the amund-nies engagested by the Committee on Inland de of the Chamber of Commerce. See amountments detail the manner in ich vacancies shall be filled on the countries.

passenger schedules and secure connections and facilities for shitting cars at junction points.

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They also provide for the storage of freight at reasonable rates by the railroads in their own depots or shewhere and for the transfer of cars from one depot to another on connecting lines. The perfected bill further provides for the repeal of the section of the act under which the present Railroad Commissioner was appointed. Some discussion ensued on a suggestion by Mr. Ray that the bill be amended so as to request the Governor to select his nominees from different sections of the State.

Mr. Williams, of Augusta, opposed the suggestion. He was willing to have all the commissioners appointed from one family if they were good and qualified men.

Mr. Tyler, of Charles City, did not think the Governor should be hampered by any such restrictions. He thought the matter of dividing up the State in making appointments had already gone too far.

ABYOCATE IT AS A WHOLE.

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## THREE RICHMOND BRIDES.

Mr. Kellegg Marries Miss Potts-Wedding of Mr. Atkinson and Miss Waddill.

Mr. G. A. D. Kellogg and Miss Bessie
Phair Potts were married at the Second
Presbyterian church at 6 o'clock yesterday
evening, Rev. Dr. M. D. Hoge officiating.
The chancel of the church was very prettily
decorated with evergreens, upon which an effusion of soft light poured in most harmonizing
effect. The auditorium of the house of worship
was filled to overfooting.
The celestial strains of the "Swedish Wedding
March" were waited out upon the calm atmos-

THE ATTRIDANTS.

Miss Annie Lea Potts, her sister, was maid of honor and was exceedingly pretty in a costume of white China silk, trimmed with cut steel passementerie. She carried a large busch of La France roses, which were especially appropriate to her style of beauty.

The ushers were; Messrs. D. Kemper Kellogg, of Newport News, a brother of the groom and best man; Frank Danner, L. C. Paine, Frank Potts, and W. R. Stores. All these wore boutonners of white rose-buds.

The front row of sents were occupied by the

return.

The groom is a well-known young businessman, having been for several years in the hay and grain business n this city.

Two Barkespers Fined \$25 Each.
The two most important cases on the large docket in the Police Court yesterday mgrning were those of Julius Kluber and R. A. Caskie. Kluber keeps at the corner of Sixth and Marshall streets and Caskie's place is No. 316 north Seventeenth street. The former entered a plea of guilty and paid the regulation fine of \$25.

In the case of Caskie Policeman Kelly, who was the chief witness for the Commonwealth, testified that the barkeeper offered to pay him if he would keep quiet, but the officer said he told him all the money in Richmond would not buy him. Twenty-five dollars the was the judgment of the Court, and both cases were certified to the grand jury.

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What promises to be one of the best attractions of the season will be given at the Theatre Friday and Saturday, with a mathee on the latter day. The Fast Mail is said to be a mele-drama of more than ordinary merits, while the scenes and mechanical effects are represented to be fine. There is a representation on a Mississippi steamer, showing the furnaces under the bollet in active operation. A train of cars shoots across the stage with great effect. The Nisgara Falls scene is said to be most realistic. The company comes here highly recommended.

The Disparch has received from the J.

Hill Printing Company an advance copy
of Picturesque Kichmond. The publication is
and somely printed; contains numerous flusrations of poluis of interest, and is replete with

The Two Sisters.

To-night at the Mozart Academy of Music Messrs. Denman Thompson & George Ryers Company will produce "The Two Sisters." The play teaches sharplessons and gives needed warmings to youth. It is an idyl of city life and has won success wherever played. It is direct in its sensibilities, probes the sympathies, is picture-spue, and wins without surprises. The piece is said to be effectively staged, especially the scene on the house-tops of New York at night and the scene before the hotel. There will be a matinee on Saturday.

What the Kalender Kermesse Made. What the Kalender Kermesse Made.

The lady managers of the Kalender Kermesse, which was held at Grace-Street Tabernacie a few weeks ago for the Benedit of the Eaptist Home for Aged Women, held a meeting yesterday and received the reports from the various departments. It was ascertained that the profits from the fair amounted to \$1,700.

In the case of Lizzie Gleason, who was ried in the Henrico County Court on needed on appeal from the magistrate, by thom she was med \$10 for being disorderly on he Fair-Grounds, Judge Minor reversed the de-ision of the Justice and discharged the ac-

At Wilkinson's Hall last night Mr. John , Gann, past president of Sir Walter taleigh Lodge, Sons of St. George, delivered a seture on "lieads and Faces or Physiognomy toviewed and Illustrated." In the course of he lecture Mr. Gann made a number of clever

## ONLY ROUTINE WORK

NOT MUCH OF INTEREST IN EITHER BRANCH OF THE LEGISLATURE.

in the Senate, but Many Bills Presented in the House.

The only matter of especial interest in

the General Assembly yesterday was the canvassing of the vote of the two bodies for United States senator.
At 12 o'clock the Senators repaired in a body to the hall of the House of Delegates

and the lower branch received them stand-

ing.

The joint session was called to order by Lieutenant-Governor J. Hoge Tyler and Mr. Bloomberg read the Journal of the Senate of Tuesday in so far as the proceedings referred to voting for senator. Mr. Mann went through the same form with the House Journal, and the Lieutenant-Governor then announced that John W. Daniel had been elected United States senator from Virginia for the term commencing March 4, 1893.

On motion of Mr. McDonald, the Chair appointed the following committee to wait on Senator Daniel and inform him of his election: From the Senate—Messrs. McDonald, Little, and Fairtax; from the House—Messrs. Hunter, Fentress, Letcher, and Spencer.

Senator Daniel will address the members of the General Assembly in the hall of the House of Delegates to-night.

The Senater and Spencer.

The Senate, was called to order at 12 M. and opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. Tudor.

The body then proceeded to the hall of the House of Delegates to take part in the joint session at which the vote for United States sen The Senate. was counted.

Returning to the Senate chamber at 12:10, the

regular business was resumed.

The Chair, in compliance with the joint resolution passed on Tuesday, appointed Messrs Mushbach and Berry on the part of the Senaton the committee to receive and disburse the money to be returned to the citizens of the Commonwealth under the direct-tax bill. The following bills were introduced and appro

Bath and Highland, C. N. McDaniel, by Mr.

wing nominations being in order, the fol-owing names were presented:
Smythe—G. H. Fudge, by Mr. Roberts.
Westmoreland and Richmond—R. H. Beale,
y Mr. Washington.
Mesers, Washington and Walton were ap-pointed to meet the House committee, and upon heir report the nominees were declared duly lected.

for his acts. Any violation of the law shall be a misdemeanor.

THE HUNTER ASSOCIATION.

Mr. Campbell, of Essex, introduced a bill to incorporate the Robert M. T. Hunter Association. The organization has for its object the raising by individual subscription a fund to erect at the city of Richmond a monument to the memory of Robert M. T. Hunter, and to provide a sultable place for his remains.

The following are the officers of the association: General Joseph R. Anderson, president; Colonel Frank G. Ruffin, Judge W. R. Staples, Judge T. R. B. Wright, Major Hollmes Conrad, Judge J. B. Sener, General William B. Tallaferro, General Fradley T. Johnson, Hunns B. Merchant, Colonel L. Q. Washington, Joseph Bryan, Hon. Taylor Berry, vice-president; G. Watson James, secretary, and Colonel William H. Palmer, treasurer, Mr. R. G. Bourne introduced a bill for the adoption of Caarley Edgar Perkins by Ell S. Young and Lucy Young, of Grayson county, Va. He asked that the rules be suspended and the bill placed upon the calendar.

Mr. Gibsen opnowed this. He said he thought

bill placed upon the calendar.

Mr. Gibson opposed this. He said he thought the matter was one which really should be settled by the courts.

Mr. Bourne said he had inquired of several lawyer members of the Legislature what he should do, and they told him to offer the bill. He withdrew his motion for a suspension of the rules and the bill was referred.

SUB-CONTRACTORS' LIENS.

Mr. Mallet presented a bill to amend and remate section 2477 of the Code of Virgina, as to the perfection of the Hen of sub-contractors and the extent thereof in cities and counties, respectively. The bill provides that a lien may be perfected under this section within the counties of the Commonwealth not exceeding the amount in which the owner is indebted to the general contractor at the time the notice is given, and in the cities the amount of the lien shall not be affected by the status of accounts between the owner and the general contractor.

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By Mr. H. T. Harris: To limit the term of tenure of county and city treasurers and sheriffs. The bill provides that these officers having served two successive terms shall be ineligible to the same office.

By Mr. A. M. Perry. To incorporate the Tazewell Nicret railway.

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By Mr. M. C. Thomas: To incorporate the Roanoke, Salem and Western Hailroad Company. Messrs. John W. F. Allemony, James S. Simmons, James C. Langhorne, E. H. Stewart, A. M. Bowman, Joseph A. Gale, W. T. Younger, Lucien H. Cocke, D. B. Strouse, J. T. Engleby, S. F. Simmons, and Henry S. Trout are named as the corporators of the company. They shall have power to equip, maintain, and operate a railroad, which may cominance at some point on the Richmond and Alleghany railroad in the courty of Botefourt or may commence at the city of Roanoke; it shall extend by and within the cities of Roanoke and Salem, or if it commence at Roanoke it shall be extended by and within the city of Salem, thence to the county of Craig or Montgomery; thence by such route as the company may determine to some suitable point on the line of the State of Kentucky. The capital stock shall be \$5,000,000.

By Mr. Snodrass: To amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled an act to lucorporate the Douglas Land Company of Virginia, approved March 4, 1800, and to substitute corporators in place of other corporators named in said act, and to extend the time within which the said company may organize.

Code of Virginia relating to the jurisdiction of Justices of the peace.
To amend and re-enact section 248 of the Code of Virginia in reference to the decisions of the Court of Appeals.
The bill to amend section 3861, chapter 279.
Code of Virginia, in regard to shooting in or along or within one bundred yards of a public road, was reported adversely by the committee.

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BILLS PASSED.

To authorize the Board of Supervisors of the county of Surry to compromise certain claims due said county.

To amend and re-enact an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Basic City, approved March 3, 1890.

To amend and re-enact chapter 129, extra session, 1887, for the protection of terrapins.

ELECTION OF JUDGES.

Other business having been completed, the House proceeded with the joint order for the election of county judges. The following nominations were made:

Lyman Chalkley, Alleghany and Craig, by Mr.

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Triplett.
Incy Smith, James City, York, and city of
llamsburg, by Mr. Spencer.
R. Jackson, Scott, by Mr. Hoge.
H. Fudge, Smyth, by Mr Edwards,
H. Beale, Westmoreland and Richmond, by ir. Chambers.
Mr. Stratton made a motion that Senator John
7. Daniel, who is in this city, be requested to
eliver an address to the two branches of the
egislature in the hall of the House of Delegates
suight at 8 o'clock. The motion was unani-

nously adopted. The House adjourned at 1:25 P. M. PUT OFF TO REDUCE EXPENSES. Reduction of Force in the Line of Econ

my-Other Manchester Items. The reduction of the force of the Rich-nond and Danville railroad shops is in the ine of economy and will only be tempo-

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This assurance was given by Superintendent Berkley yesterday to a Diffarcul reporter who called on him to inquire why so many of the operatives were suspended on Tuesday. In reply to a question Mr. Berkley said that the men were put off solely to cut down expenses for the remainder of the year, and that about the 1st of January, certainly early in that month, all of the departments would resume work in full blast.

The officials of the road, he said, found it desirable to largely decrease the number of persons on their pay-rolls for a short while, and he did not think a partial suspension just prior to the holidays would work as great hardship to the employees as for them to lose time in January or February. He repeated that the opening of the new year would almost surely find their large plant in full operation. There is a great rush of work, he added, and the company can ill afford to have these shops, which are the principal ones of the road, idle, but as they would have to suspend for a short while at some time the management had consulted what they believed to be the best interests of those in the company's employ.

A reduction of the force in these shops at this

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The Chesterfield jall is almost completed, and neriff Gill will be ready to accommodate boards there about next week.
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In the Mayor's Court yesterday morning Moses Faulkier (colored) had to pay a line of \$2 for enaging in the fascinating game of craps.

The Chesterfield Board of Supervisors will meet at the Courthouse on the third Monday, instead of the fourth.

The funeral of Colonel William F. Giddings will take place from his late residence, in Swansboro to-day at 12 M. The remains will be taken to Ohio for interment.

Miss Fanie Willshire, of this city, is visiting friends and relatives in Pownatan county.

Mr. W. T. Ledford, foreman of the paint department at the Richmond and Danville shops, left yesterday afternoon for Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Jolia Copton has suffered a relapse with the grip and is quite sick at her residence, on Twelfth street.

The usual Wednesday-night prayer meetings were held in the different charches last night.

WAITED ON BY THE COMMITTEE. Senator Daniel Informed of His Election.

Senator John W. Daniel arrived in the Senator John W. Daniel arrived in the city yesterday afternoon on the fast-mail train from Washington, and is stopping at the Exchange Hotel.

At 7 o'clock in the evening the committee appointed by the joint session of the General Assembly to inform him of his re-election to the Senate waited upon him in the main parlor of the hotel.

The New Norfolk Ferry Bill.

tor McDonald was the spokesman of the

THE NORFOLK CONTINGENT.

Had His Head Badly Cut.

Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock as Master Homer Wood, the seven-year-old son of Mrs. Robert Wood, was passing down Foushee street near Broad he encountered a gang of negro boys engaged in a rock battle. In endeavoring to avoid being struck he tripped and fell, striking his head against the iron grating of Levy & Davis's store. He was plored up in an unconscious condition and earlied to the drugstore of Mr. R. H. M. Harrison. He had a deep and painful cut of about two inches in length across the forehead. Dr. John H. Hinchman was called and rendered temporary relief. Subsequently he was taken to his

# WANT BETTER LAWS.

TEMPERANCE CONVENTION MAKES APPEALS TO THE LEGISLATURE.

They Object to Stained-Glass Windows-Boycotting Liquor-Selling Merchants.

The Temperance Convention was called to order yesterday morning at 10:15 o'clock by Chairman Massey and the second day's proceedings began with prayer by Rev. L. A. Cutler. About 150 delegates were pres-ent, and a great many of them took part

in the discussions of the forenoon. On motion of Mr. W. E. Nichols, a resotion was adopted appointing a committee of five, with Rev. J. R. Moffett as chairof five, with Rev. J. R. Moffett as chairman, to organize county and subordinate temperance alliances throughout Virginia. The other members are: Joseph H. Shepherd, of Richmond; Preston A. Ross, of Staunton; Rev. C. P. Scott, of Warrenton, and C. C. Geever, of Loudoun county. The following was adopted after considerable discussion by many of the more active delegates:

able discussion by many of the measurements:

Whereas we do not think the prependerance of public sentiment at present in Virginia is such as makes it prudent for us to ask of our Legislature the total prohibition of the liquor traffic, the majority of this convention still desire it to be distinctly understood that we regard prohibition—State and national—the ultimate and only efficient remedy for the vice of intemperance and to this end shall not case our efforts to educate public sentiment up to our position on this great question.

Pourrics in the Fullit.

The report of the Committee on Relation of the

The Afternoon Session.

The afternoon session was called to order by the chairman and Mr. H. C. Glenn occupied the secretary's chair in the absence of that official. By request the Committee on Effects of Liquor Upon the Human System was excused from making a report.

A preamble and resolution was introduced by a number of ladies providing that no Good Tempiar shall encourage any business enterprise wherein intoricating liquor is sold.

BOYCOTTING LIQUOR-SELLERS.

After a little discussion the following was

George E. Anderson, guide; R. M. Hilton, warden; R. A. Bowen, sentry. Trustees—J. J. Blanton, J. L. Robertson, and George C. Anderson. Medical Examiner, Dr. Lawrence Ingramson. Medical Examiner, Dr. Lawrence Ingramson. Mrs. F. E. Mayo, who has been quite sick at her residence on Decatur street, is convalescent. Mrs. L. M. Burfoot is quite sick with the grip at her home in Swansboro.

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grounds upon which all temporance people can work together.

2. To arouse public sentiment and public interest in this great cause.

3. To recommend to our Legislature the enactment of such laws as will remove temptation from the paths of our fellow-men and remove the horrors of the bar-room from our fair land.

4 To set forth clearly the ultimate aims and ends to be attained.

The convention established as the basis of representation throughout the State the admission of one delegate from every charch, temperance society or synagogue, and five delegates from every general religious body or temperance organization in the State.

A vote of thanks was tendered Chairman Massey and Secretary Hawkhurst for the efficient manner in which they had discharged the duties assigned to them, and the meeting adjourned

the confregations constructed the confregation of the evening was the popular in Richmond.

The first business of the evening was the adoption of a resolution thanking the railroads, hotels, Mayor Ellyson, and the press for courtesies extended the convention.

Upon motion of Dr. Kirby, the report of the committee in charge of the work which will be referred to the Gueral Assembly for their action was referred to Permanent-Secretary Sheppard, who will potition the Legislature for action on these subjects.

The Secretary announced the following committee who will prepare an address to the people of Virginia: Rev. F. M. Edward, Rev. L. A. Culter, and Rev. L. W. Burton.

Rev. Mr. Betts, by special request, sung a temperance song which was greatly enjoyed.

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Mr. Massey then introduced Dr. Wharton in a

The Session of the Grand Lodge Last Night-The Home Visited.

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The Grand Lodge closed Tuesday night to reassemble last evening at 6 o'clock, but it was fully 7 before the Grand Master ordered the body to be opened. The first business was the election of offeers, and it was atter 12 o'clock before the list was completed. The grand master, J. Howard Wayr, much to the regret and surprise of the craft positively declining a re-election, Mr. William Henry Pleasants, of Hollins Institute, was elected and installed grand master for the ensuing twelve months. He acknowledged the honor in feeling terms. He is an accomplished, able gentleman and one of the most modest men in the Grand Lodge.

locted and installed: Mann Page, Prince George, deputy grand aster. J. P. Fitzgerald, Farmville, grand senior war-A. R. Courtney, Richmond, grand junior war-

en.
W. T. Allen, Richmond, grand treasurer.
William B. Isaacs, Richmond, grand secretary.
F. A. Roed, Alexandria, grand senior deacon.
R. W. T. Duke, Jr., of Charlottesville, grand The Grand Lodge will reassemble this morn

ing at 10 o'clock. The first business, perhaps, will be the consideration of charters for new will be the consideration of charters for new lodges.

The Grand Lodge visited the Masonic Home received quite a large amount of money, which was contributed by individual brethren.

Dove Lodge met at the Tempie yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and the Fellow-Craft degree was conferred on one candidate. This lodge is called to meet this evening at 7 o'clock, when the sublime degree of Master Mason will be conferred by the committee.

Julius Cohen Acquitted.

The case against Julius Cohen, charged with feloniously assaulting and cutting Robert Hopkins, was called in the Hustings Court yesterday. The defendant was represented by Mesers. D. C. Richardson and Alfred E. Cohen, wno, by their able efforts, succeeded in getting the accused acquitted.

The trial of John W. Johnson, charged with an assault on J. B. Davenport, his sou-in-law, was postponed to the January term.

were broken.

Dr. Dismond was called to attend the sufferer, and reported last night that he was greatly improved. Though conscious now, Griffin says he does not know in what manner he received his injuries. The wounded man, who is a coal-dealer on Baker street, a said to be sober and steady in his habits. He does not seem to have the slightest idea where he received his injuries or under what circumstances.

Personals and Briefs.
Mr. Robert Gilliam, of Petersburg, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. H. E. Nelson, of Cumberland, is in the city on a short visit. Mr. William Garstang has moved to his new home, on Chestnut Hill.

The mother of Policeman Robson, who has been quite ill, is improving. Captain E. H. Flournoy, circuit clerk of Chesterfield, was in the city yesterday. G. E. Harding and bride leave to-day for Paris, Ill., for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. R. Burfoot Taylor is having erected three modern cottages on south Second street.

The annual Christmas dinner at the Male Or-phan Asylum will take place Wednesday, De-cember 30th, at 5 o'clock P. M. Judge Leake yesterday entered a decree directing Patrick H. C. Cabell, receiver, to sell the Traylor Electric Company.

Mr. J. C. Avery, engineer on the Midland divi-tion of the Chesapeake and Oblo rallway, was brought home sick yesterday. Mr. R. Hunter Beagley, of the South Beston Ness, formerly of Manchester, is in attendance at the Temperance Convention. A negro named Boaz Beal was received at the penitentiary yesterday from Isle of Wight to serve two years for housebreaking.

The only case set for trial in the Henrico Coun-y Court yesterday was postponed in cons-quence of the absence of counsel. Acca Temple will meet at St. Albans Hall to-night at 8 o'clock for work. The Potentate re-quests that all members wear dress suits. Licutenant H. C. Cabell, United States army, in the city on a leave of absence. Licutenant abell has been attached to General Gibbons's taff, San Francisco, for the past two years.

The British steamship British Queen, A. Smith master, entered and cleared at the customouse yesterday. She goes to Liverpool is Nor-look with 3,000 bales of cotton, valued at \$150,-At a meeting of St. Patrick's Beneficial So-clety held last night a committee was appointed to fit up the rooms and make arrangements for social features to be connected with the organi-ration.

Thomas, the two-year-old sen of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Patterson, died at their residence, in this city, pesterday. The funeral will take place from Venable-Street Baptist church at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Mr. M. Glennau, editor of the Norfolk Virginian, arrived in the city last night. Referring to the oyster question, he said the Governor's special message was one of the finest papers on that subject he had ever read. Dr. C. N. Whitne y, the distinguished lecturer on temperance and travel, is the guest of Mrs. Joseph, Church Hill. He gives his illustrated lecture on Ireland and the Irish (the "Ould Sod") at Old-Market Hall this evening.

Mr. E. L. Turner, clerk of the courts of Greenesville county, is in the city attending the session of the Grand Lodge of Masons. He called on the Auditor of Public Accounts yester-day and settled his accounts with the State. The musical and literary entertainment at Yenable-Street church to-night promises to be very attractive. Professor L. R. Hamberlin, one of the finest elecutionists, will read and recite, and there will be choice music by Mrs. Straus and Professor Unkel and others.

and Protessor Unker and others.

A public Gospel temperance meeting will be held at 8 o'clock to-night at the Second Baptist church under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Rev. Dr. Landrum and Dr. W. E. Kirby, of Washington, D. C., State lecturer of the Independent Order of Good Tempiars, will be the speakers.

I deem it to be just to myself to state the collowing facts in connection with my detent before the legislative Democratic caufeat before the legislative Democratic cau-cus on Friday night last:
Up to the convening of the General As-sembly there was no opposition to my election. Universal satisfaction prevailed.
T. R. B. Wright, Esq., the chairman of the Democratic Committee of the First Con-gressional District, being in Richmond in the interest of the R. M. T. Hunter memo-rial movement, secured the support and in-fluence of nearly every member of the General Assembly from the First district and then announced himself a candidate.

and my testimonials, which were kindly sent in to me from every county in the cir-

I was endorsed as their first choice by twenty-eight lawyers against thirteen for Wright, by four out of five of the county judges, and by the large majority of the people in three or more of the counties and general satisfaction expressed by all.

I appealed to Mr. Wright and to his friends in the Democratic caucus to postpone the election until I could get the different constituencies to express their wishes to their representatives. This appeal he and they refused. I then got a friend outside of the congressional district to move for a postponement before the caucus. This motion was voted down. I had no local representative from my county to cus. This motion was voted down. I have no local representative from my county to nominate me and appealed to James N. Stubbs, my sendor, to nominate me. This he did "by request," and seconded the nomination of Wright and voted for

Wright.

Mr. Stubbs knows, and admitted to me and others, that Middlesex and Mathews were solid for me and that seven out of nme lawyers of Gloncester and a large majority of the people of Gloncester were for me; and he also knew the extent of my endorsement in other counties.

I have my circular and testimonials from the state of the countries of the countries of the countries.

all the counties, which were subject to the inspection of the members of the Democratic caucus, and can be seen by any friend of mine who may desire to see them. Respectfully,

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A. Browne Evans.

A Heavy Failure.

A foreclosure sale will be held this morning at 11 o'clock sharp at the Senate Saloen to satisfy six notes of \$14,000.

All of the handsome and ornamental Bar Fixtures, four Billiard, and Pool-Tables, nine Mirrors, and the splendid Moquette Carpets will be sold; also, twenty-two barrels of old Monticello Whiskey, made in 1874 and 1876, and a choice lot of Wines and Brandes of great age and rare excellence will be disposed of regardless of cost.

The sale is a peremptory one, and all of the above-named articles will be sold to the highest bidder.

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The stock is of the same kind as has been sold over the bar of the Senate Saloon, and the quantity offered will attract the whole-sale dealers, as only original packages will he sold.

There is in Meyer's window, corner Sixth There is in Aleyer's window, corner sixta and Broad, an ingenious clock, to be placed over the candle when lighted, which will stop when the candle goes out. Thus, if the candle accidentally goes out, the exact time will be known. O. F. Ostergren, of Spott & Spott, watchmakers, is the inventor.

is growing more multitudinous each year.

The Youth's Companion is in a position to know a great deal about her. Near year it will publish a series of acticles of advice to this girl, by Kate Field, Amelia Barr, and Jeanette Gilder ("Brunswick").

Card of Thanks.

Card of Tbacks.

The lady managers of the Kalender Kermesse, given for the benefit of the Baptist Home for Aged Women, wish to return their sincere thanks to Messra, Levy & Davis, Cohen Company, and Julius Meyer & Sons for decorations; E. B. Taylor & Co. for loan of china; Messra, Whitehurst & Owens, William Gibson, Jarvis & Gliun, L. L. Lacy, G. W. Parsons, and B. F. Coeby for erecting of booths free of charge; L. Schoen & Co., Broad street, for furnishing chocolate; L. R. Jenkins, printing handsome menus; Messra, F. P. Burke, John A. Kratz, and Haralson & Crump for liberal donations of candy. They are also under obligations to Electric Light Company and Telephone Company, to Messra, Gay & Lorraine, W. J. McDowell, A. L. Burford & Brother, and Crump & West for all supplies of fuel. &c.

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A trip to J. H. Valentine's auction-room, 1536 east Main street, will not fail to please you. He will offer the finest Carpet ever sold in Richmond, Call and look at his grand display of Carpets, Rugs, Chenille Curtains, and Oil-Cloth, Grand display of Plush Cases, &c. Everybody invited to this sale.

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are the attractive Books, Booklets, Cards, &c., at the Publication Rooms, corner of Tenth and Main streets.

J. D. K. SLEIDER,
Business Superintendent,

My stock of Pipes, Tobacco, Cigars, and all Smokers' Articles is very complete for Christmas. T. A. Miller's All-Night Drugstore, 431 and 433 east Broad street.

Splendid Pianos and Organs in almost endless variety of style and price at Ryland & Lee's, Governor street. Don't Buy a Piano until you see the great bargains at Humo Minor & Co.'s, Ninth street.

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J. D. K. Sizsonar, Business Superintendent.

Call and examine Ricksecker's Goods for

Superb Upright Pianos in Ebony, Burl, and Circassian, Walnut, Oak, Ash, &c., at Ryland & Lee's, No. 10 Governor street.

The turniture sale at Gathright's Warerooms, Governor street, will be continued at 10:30 A. M. See advertisement in auction column. J. H. VALENTINE, Auctioneer. Jno. E. Laughton, Jr., Salesman. Try our Hot-Chocolate Shake when shop-

ping. It is a good luneb. Ten cents.
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Shakspeare complete in four volumes,

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This immense sale will positively take place on the 18th. See auction column as to description and quantity. Dealers and jobbers, read the list and come to this sale; it will pay you. I have positive orders to sell.

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Bargains in Pianos. High-Grade Pianos. Low prices. Easy terms. Hume, Minor & Co., Ninth street. Great Bargains in Planes for Christmas presents at Ryland & Lee's, No. 10 Governor street.

Old papers for sale at this office at 25 ents per hundred. Pizzini's, F. P. Bunke, Proprietor, has now opened the largest and best stock of Candles in the city.

A beautiful line of Hand-Painted Candy-

Boxes. These are the latest and prottlest de

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Xmas-Tree Ornaments at 10c. a dozen. A beautiful selection of Glass Balls for 25c. a tles free:
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Candies.—While my line of home-made goods
Crab is the finest known to the public, I also carry a large line of northern goods. I now call your attention to
XX Boston Mixtures at Sc. a pound.

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Superior French Mixtures at 15c. a pound. Assorted Bonbon Mixtures at 20c. a pound. For \$1.1 will send six pounds of Pizzni's Home Made Candy nicely packed.

Canton Ginger in its original imported onepound packages. I also carry Citron, Raisine, Currants, and Shelled Almonds.
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Send \$1 and get a box of BURKE's best mixture from any part of the country postpaid.

Frances.-The only full line in the city is at

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F. P. Burre, Proprietor.

FRUTTS AND FLOW-ERS

a nice Xmas preson. It is not too
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There are plenty of ways of buying clothing and nobody can dictate to you which one you shall adopt. The man who is measured for a suit takes no chances; he insures himself against the possibility of disappointment. He knows in advance exactly what he is going to get and how he will look in it when he gets it. Usually he is a man of well-defined ideas and he likes to have those ideas carried out. That's just what we do;

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LAPAYETTE, ROYAL ARCH MASONS.

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Crab-Apple Blossom, White Hyacinth, White Lilac, Garden Heliotrope, White Heliotrope, White Rose, Laly of the Valley,

Powders. The greatest sale of all kinds of Handkerchiefs we have ever held is now going on at several large counters. The Linen Counter offers some choice

Some handsome "Thibet" Fur Carriage Robes for the baby. Fine Umbrellas for ladies and gentle-Remember, we are selling some \$20

and \$22 brand-new Fur-Trimmed Jackets \$10, and then you should see the pretty Don't buy your Fireworks until you call and Jackets at \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6.50, \$7, and see Burke's prices. He will retail at wholesale \$8,50, all of the latest styles.

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STORE NEWS. THURSDAY, December 17th.

No one has ever yet made a mistake by presenting a good Book at Christmas time. They are, after all, the best com-

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